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Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE.

Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 10.—A tri-state conference of Young Men's Christian Associations began at the new Y. M. C. A. building in this city today with an attendance of delegates from various parts of Washington, Oregon and Idaho. The sessions are to continue three days and will be devoted to the discussion of Y. M. C. A. work in all its branches. Several speakers of note will be heard.

TAFT ON THE PHILIPPINES.

New York, Jan. 10.—Secretary of War Taft was the speaker tonight at the People's Institute in Cooper Union. His subject was "The Philippines."

WILL BE PUBLIC.

School Board to Hold No Sessions Behind Closed Doors.

Austin, Jan. 10.—The statehouse is thronged with schoolbook men and it transpired that several concerns that desire to have books accepted have not as yet taken out permit to do business in Texas, and had not up to the time question was agitated paid their franchise taxes. One big concern recently, when its attention was called to this fact by the governor, paid to the state treasurer \$5,000 franchise taxes.

It is learned that meetings of the board will be open to the public and will not be held behind closed doors, as several schoolbook representatives desire. The governor is determined to have everything take place in the open and he has requested members of the board not to permit book representatives to talk to them outside of open sessions. This has caused some hard feeling on part of the book men.

It is understood that the board will rule that no publisher who has not obtained permit to do business in Texas, will be eligible to bid for contracts.

The barber as well as the pugilist can give an uppercut.—Philadelphia Record.

AGAINST CELESTIALS.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 10.—Former United States Senator John N. Gearin and other men of prominence are announced to speak at a mass meeting of citizens held tonight for the purpose of considering the subject of Asiatic exclusion. The meeting had been arranged by the Asiatic Exclusion League, an organization recently formed by the local trades unions and having for its chief object the exclusion from the United States of the brown and yellow laborers from the Orient.

NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The annual meeting of the Board of National Rifle Association is in session here, with an attendance representing a majority of the states. The association aims to promote rifle practice in the militia organizations and in schools and colleges. Among those in attendance are the adjutant-generals of a number of states who will later go to Boston to attend the meeting of the National Guard Association of the United States.

Railroad Sued.

Austin, Jan. 10.—Attorney General Davidson has instituted suit against the Trinity and Brazos Valley railway for failure to operate trains for passengers and freight between Waxahatchie and Dallas.

Through Center of Forehead.

Houston, Jan. 10.—Andrew Green, a noted New York chef, put a bullet in the center of his forehead in a local saloon.

Has Written No Letters.

Austin, Jan. 10.—Governor Campbell says he has written no letters to Washington looking to suppression of Bailey issue in Texas.

"Barry" Bats Last Time.

San Antonio, Jan. 10.—Gus S. Schmitt, the well known baseball player, better known as Barry, is dead.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP.

Montreal, Quebec, Jan. 10.—The shareholders of the Bell Telephone Company met at the head offices of the company in this city today to take the necessary steps in regard to the proposed sale of the property and business of the company in Manitoba to the government of that Province. As heretofore announced, the Province is to pay the company \$3,300,000 for the business and an additional \$100,000 for the equipment. Payment will be made in 44-year 4 per cent bonds, payable at par. The transfer of the property will be made next week. The Manitoba government will operate the system by a commission and for a time at least is expected to retain all of the present officials of the company.

AUSTRALIAN LEGISLATURE.

Edmonton, Australia, Jan. 10.—The legislature of Alberta assembled for its third session today, and was opened with the customary formalities. The session is expected to be a busy and important one. Mining laws will occupy a prominent place on the legislative program. Among the measures that will be introduced is one providing for a legal working day of eight hours. A more careful inspection and regulation of the mines and compensation to miners in case of injury or death are also sought.

The extension of the rural telephone system is another matter that will be brought up. The province already has 500 miles of rural telephone lines in successful operation. Measures will also be taken for pushing to completion the new parliament building in this city.

The City National Bank

ENTERS INTO THE NEW YEAR WITH ABSOLUTE CONFIDENCE IN OUR ABILITY TO HANDLE THOSE MATTERS WHICH WILL BE INTRUSTED TO US WITH THE SAME SUCCESS WE HAVE HAD IN THE PAST.

WE HAVE CONFIDENCE IN OUR MERCHANTS, AND CONGRATULATE THEM UPON THE ABLE AND COURAGEOUS MANNER IN WHICH THEY HAVE MET THE SITUATION FORCED ON THIS SECTION OF THE COUNTRY BY CAUSES NOT OF THEIR MAKING.

WE HAVE CONFIDENCE IN THE FARMERS OF OUR COUNTY AND STAND WITH THEM, FIRM AND STEADFAST, IN THEIR FIGHT FOR THEIR JUST DUES FOR VALUE GIVEN.

WE ARE PROUD OF THE RECORD OF THIS BANK DURING THE YEAR PAST, TRYING AS IT WAS. WE BELIEVE THIS BANK HAS FULFILLED THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT IS IN EXISTENCE—TO BE OF SERVICE TO THIS TOWN AND COUNTY—AND WE REFER TO OUR PATRONS, THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN WITH US LONG, AND THE MANY NEW ONES THAT HAVE COME LATELY, WHETHER OR NOT WE HAVE GIVEN THEM GOOD TREATMENT.

WITH HOPES HIGH AND HEARTS STRONG, WE TURN RESOLUTELY TO MEET THE NEW YEAR, ASSURING OUR FRIENDS THAT WE ARE READY AND WILLING TO SERVE THEM AS THEIR ACCOUNTS WITH US ENTITLE THEM.

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This sale has been a success, far beyond our expectations. The people have been quick to take advantage of its exceptional opportunities to save money. Don't delay if you expect to purchase during this sale, as the choice lots are going fast, but we still have good assortments in each department, and are adding new lots each day.

We are making special reductions during the balance of this sale on

Men's Overcoats and Cravenettes

On account of the mild winter up to the present time, we are badly overstocked on these goods, and rather than carry them over until next season, we have marked them down regardless of cost. On some lots the price has been cut half in two.

Remember you have choice of the Largest and Finest Stock of OVERCOATS and CRAVENETTES in Central Texas, at prices never before heard of on these goods. This is an opportunity you may never have again to get one of these handsome coats.

Below we mention just a few of the many remarkable reductions that we offer you during this sale. Remember, every single article in our store has been cut away below the regular price. Nothing reserved.



Men's Suits

In a Store handling the large amount of Clothing we do, it is very natural that we should have a Large Stock Left On Our Hands in a season like this. We admit We Are Overloaded, and, to unload this large stock, We are going to make PRICES NEVER BEFORE OFFERED YOU On High Grade Clothing.

These "Cuts" include ALL of our Alfred Benjamin & Co. and Hart, Schaffner & Marx. Hand Tailored Suits—In fact, Every Suit in the House is Included in This Sale.

We mention below just a few of the Reductions:

Choice of our \$25.00 and \$27.50 Hand-Tailored Suits—Odd suits from our Finest Goods shown this season—Unloading Price 16.85

\$20.00 and \$22.50 Suits—In this season's Newest and Best Patterns—Have been piled in one lot and offered at the very Low Price of..... 12.95

All of our \$16.50 and \$18.00 Suits—In Checks, Stripes and Solid Colors, Most of them in extreme Young Men's Styles. Unloading Price 11.85

Our Entire Line of \$15.00 Suits for Men and Young Men—the strongest line in the Store—Suits that can not be matched elsewhere at the Regular Price. Unloading Price 9.95

\$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits—Splendid Business Suits—more than worth their marked price. Priced—During this Sale at 8.65

Two Lots of \$10.00 Suits—Excellent Values; one a Scotch Cheviot, and the other a dark Worsted—Marked Down, During This Sale to..... 5.95

We are Overstocked on Black Suits and have Marked Them Down During This Sale to almost one-half their former price.

Cravenettes and Overcoats

You can not afford to miss this Splendid Opportunity to get one of our fine Overcoats at these ridiculous prices. The Winter Season has just begun, and, besides, one will last you for years.

An All-Wool Black Cravenette—Full 52-inches long (rain and cold proof) a value at \$10.00 Unloading Price 6.95

A Splendid Grey pin-stripe Cravenette a Very Handsome Coat, formerly sold at \$12.50 Unloading Price 8.65

Handsome Black and Grey Cravenettes cut in the height of fashion and sold readily at \$15.00.. Unloading Price 10.35

All of our fine \$20.00 overcoats and Cravenettes, go during this unloading sale at..... 12.95

Other overcoats at from 33 to 50 per cent reductions.

Men's Shirts

Our Entire Line of "Manhattan," "Eagle" and "Emory" Shirts Included in This Sale:

All \$2.00 Colored and White Shirts At 1.35

All \$1.50 Colored and White Shirts. At 1.15

All \$1.00 & \$1.25 Colored and White Shirts at 79

All 50c and 75c Colored and White Shirts at 39

25 per cent Reduction on our Entire Stock of fine Fancy flannel Overshirts

Men's Hats

This is the hat store of this section. We carry the largest stock of Stetson Hats in Central Texas and offer them at greatly reduced prices during this sale.

Stetson's Boss Raw Edge Hats in all the staple shapes, sold all over the country at \$5.00 and \$6.00. Unloading price 3.95

Choice of our stock of Stetson novelty \$5.00 Hats. Unloading price..... 3.35

Choice of all Stetson novelty \$4.00 hats. Unloading price..... 2.65

All Princeton hats, novelties and staples, the best \$3.00 hat sold in America. Unloading price..... 1.95

Our entire stock of \$2.00 hats in all shapes cut to..... 1.45

Men's Underwear

Buy your underwear for next winter during this sale; it will pay you to do it

Men's heavy weight fleece lined underwear, cream or light blue..... .38

Heavy cotton ribbed; a splendid garment in cream, pink or blue..... .38

Genuine Scrivens jeans drawers in all sizes 58

Imitation Scrivens drawers..... .39

25 per cent reduction on all our lines of high grade cotton and wool underwear

Scrivens Improved Drawers, regularly sold at \$1.00 a pair, during this sale reduced to 69

Men's Trousers

Just in time to freshen up your winter suit with a new pair of trousers at these money saving prices

Our stock includes every imaginable pattern in worsteds, casimeres and chevots

Our finest imported worsted Paragon make formerly sold at \$7.00 and \$8.00 Unloading price..... 5.85

\$5.00 and \$6.00 trousers, handsome patterns and faultless make. Unloading price..... 3.95

\$3.50 and \$4.00 trousers, splendid values and good assortment of patterns, Unloading price..... 2.85

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Trousers and well worth the money, but now..... 1.95

Men's Shoes

All Nettleton \$6.00 bench made shoes in patent colt, gun metal and vic kid. Unloading price..... 4.65

All Stetson \$5.00 shoes in all leathers cut to..... 3.95

All \$4.00 Walk Over shoes in patent colt, gun metal calf, box calf and vic kid. Unloading price..... 3.45

All \$3.50 Walk Overs in same leathers as above..... 2.95

One special lot in odds and ends in \$4.00 Walk Overs cut..... 2.95

All \$3.00 men's shoes cut to..... 2.45

All \$2.50 men's shoes cut to..... 1.90

Fancy Half Hose

One lot of men's fine lisle half hose fancy, up-to-date patterns, sold by us at 50 cents a pair... Unloading price 35 cents or three pair for.... 1.00

Fancy cotton half hose regular 25 cent goods during this sale..... .19

Neckwear

All \$1.00 neckwear 69

All 50 cent neckwear..... .39

All 25 cent neckwear 19

Brighton Silk Garters..... .18

Boston 25 cent Garters..... .18

25 per cent discount during this sale on all Half Hose, Suspenders, Night Shirts, Pajamas, Handkerchiefs, Men's Slippers, Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Gloves and Fancy Vest. Special discount on Suit Cases, Traveling Bags and Umbrellas. Come early if you want choice of the best lots, they will soon be gone at these unheard of prices. Remember every article in the house is included in this sale.

MADE OF CORNMEAL

DAINTY CONFECTIONS EASY OF PREPARATION.

Baked Indian and Other Puddings Will Give Variety to the Daily Menu—For New England Brown Bread.

Steamed Cornmeal Pudding.—Put a pint of sweet milk into a double boiler; when it is hot add a cup of suet chopped and shredded very fine. Allow the suet to dissolve in the hot milk and add half a teaspoon of soda dissolved in boiling water. Now stir in, very slowly, your cornmeal, allowing the mixture to thicken until it is quite stiff. Take the upper part of the double boiler from the fire, beat into the mixture it contains two eggs, three-quarters cup of New Orleans molasses and a cup of raisins and citron well floured. Add a teaspoonful of cinnamon, one of nutmeg, a little allspice, a dash of cloves and a dash of salt. Cover tightly, fill the lower part of the receptacle with boiling water and steam for two hours. Serve with hard or foamy sauce.

Baked Indian Pudding.—Cut up a piece of butter, the size of a tablespoon in a pint of molasses and warm them together till the butter is melted. Boil a quart of milk, and while scalding hot pour it slowly over a pint of sifted corn meal; cover for an hour and allow the mixture to cool. Add six well beaten eggs, stirred gradually into it with a tablespoonful of cinnamon and nutmeg and the grated rind of a lemon. Stir the whole very hard, put into a buttered dish and bake for two hours. Serve hot with a sauce.

New England Brown Bread.—Take three cups of cornmeal and two cups of rye flour, one cup of molasses, one cup raisins, one teaspoon of soda, one quart sweet milk, a little salt. Mix well together and pour into a tin with tight-fitting cover and boil in a kettle of water for three hours. Be careful not to let the water get into the pan or stop boiling.

Southern Corn Bread.—Sift one pint of cornmeal (white preferred), add a level teaspoon of salt and soda, a well-beaten egg and one and a half cups of sour milk. Melt butter or lard the size of a walnut in a pan, pour in the butter and bake 25 minutes in a moderate oven. This same recipe makes delicious muffins. Also by making the same batter thinner, it can be used for batter cakes.

Cornmeal Muffins.—One cup of cornmeal, one cup of flour, one tablespoonful of sugar, one and a half teaspoonfuls baking powder, teaspoonful of salt, one cup of sweet milk, one egg, one large spoonful melted butter. Bake in muffin rings in a slow oven.

Clothes Tree.

An article of furniture too seldom used is the clothes "tree," resembling the posts of our grandmother's four-post bedstead. It stands on three feet and has half a dozen prongs or hooks. As it takes up so little floor space and holds so many garments, it is an invaluable article. In a small hall or vestibule it takes the place of the hatrack, and in a larger hall it complements the table on which men's hats are laid. For the necessary airing of one's clothes over night it is preferable to chairs, as it can so easily be set out of the sleeping room. In the bathroom it is especially convenient.

The Way to Use Dried Fruit.

Instead of stewing on the stove, as is the custom, put the fruit in clear, cold water and allow it to soak from 24 to 36 hours in a cool place, then gently simmer for a few minutes in the water in which it has been soaked. Try this with California prunes, and you will be surprised at their sweetness, requiring no sugar for the ordinary taste. The golden rule is never to throw away any water in which the fruit has been soaked, for in it lies half the virtue of your sauce. Simply rinse the fruit thoroughly before putting it to soak.

Veal Cutlet in Tomato.

Beat two cutlets and fry them in one tablespoonful of boiling lard, fry on both sides until a light brown, cover the steaks with water and let it stew for an hour; cover the pan tightly, then add one and a half dozen tomatoes, which have been skinned, strain off the seeds and water, let this stew for one hour slowly. Season with two bay leaves, while cooking and remove when served, add pepper and salt and a few slices of onions.

Sweet Potatoes, Mexican Style.

Boil them until tender, peel and cut in halves longwise. Put one tablespoonful of butter and two of minced onion into a saucepan and brown. Add one heaping tablespoonful each of green and red peppers, minced, two tablespoonfuls of tomato catsup, one of vinegar and a teaspoonful of brown sugar. Stir well and pour over the potatoes.

New Treatment for Old Matting.

When the matting has faded or become worn, it can be restored to new and interesting life or usefulness by painting first with regular floor paint and then varnishing after the paint has thoroughly dried. When rugs are used over the matting the matting can be painted any desired color. It makes a beautiful background for the rugs.

Dry Bread Crumblers.

Soak dry bread in hot water until soft and mushy. Pour off water and beat until free from lumps. To two cups of this add two eggs and a cup of milk. Mix and sift a cup of flour, two and one-half teaspoonfuls baking powder, and a little salt. Add to batter and fry in hot pans. Serve hot.

ENHANCE SUGAR BEET VALUE.

Wisconsin Scientists Give Results of Fertilizer Tests.

Madison, Wis.—That 13,477 pounds of sugar beets were added to the regular yield in one field by a special process of fertilization is one of the interesting facts announced in a bulletin entitled "Sugar Beet Experiments During 1906," about to be published by the University of Wisconsin agricultural station. The investigations and experiments upon which the statistics compiled are founded are the work of Professors F. W. Woll and G. W. Stoddart.

The prime purposes of the investigations were to study the adaptability to sugar beet culture of characteristic types of Wisconsin soils, from light sandy loam to heavy clay, and to determine what system of fertilization would produce best results. Ten farms in four counties of the state were selected for the experiments.

Plots treated with potassium sulphate, acid sulphate and sodium nitrate gave the best results in most cases. In three cases the farm yard manure gave better results, the increase in yield amounting to 10,892 pounds on a Chippewa Falls farm, to 13,058 pounds on the Joseph Wright farm, near Lancaster, and to 13,477 pounds on the neighboring William Block farm. Of the two remaining Vernon county farms one gained an increase of 6,178 pounds on the potassium sulphate plot and the other 7,243 pounds on the plot which had been treated with acid phosphate.

The improvement in the amount of sugar content in the beets is marked as the increase in yield. On the Block farm the unfertilized plots showed 718 and 751 pounds sugar content, while the plot on which the nitrate fertilizer was used showed 1,942 pounds. On the Abrams farm, in the same county, the increase was 1,806 pounds sugar content.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS INCREASE.

Casualties to Passengers in Last Quarter Close to a Record.

Washington.—Accident bulletin No. 22, which has just been issued by the interstate commerce commission for the three months ending December 31, 1906, shows the total number of casualties to passengers and employees while on duty to have been 20,944, being an increase of 1,094 over those reported in the preceding three months. The total number of collisions and derailments was 3,965, of which 391 collisions and 190 derailments affected passenger trains. The damage to cars, engines and roadway by these accidents amounted to \$3,099,228.

The number of passengers and employees killed in train accidents was 474, an increase of 207 over the number reported in the last quarter. The number of passengers killed in train accidents in this quarter, 180, is the largest on record, except that for the quarter ending September 30, 1904.

The number of employees killed in coupling and uncoupling cars and engines was 84, as against 81 in the last preceding quarter. The most disastrous accident reported in the bulletin was a collision between a passenger train and an extra train hauling empty passenger coaches at Terra Cotta, near Washington, in which 43 persons were killed and 63 injured.

DREAM LOCATES BURIED CASH.

Woman Digs Up Several Hundred Dollars and Papers.

Hutchinson, Neb.—Mrs. Thomas Lewis discovered, by means of a strange dream, several hundred dollars and papers of considerable value which her husband buried on his ranch in Deuel county a short time before his death. He did not tell anyone where they were secreted.

Mrs. Lewis knew that her husband had the money on the premises at the time of his death and she made diligent search immediately after the funeral, but failed to find anything. Her two sons and friends of the family living near by then took up the search, but the hidden treasure was not to be found.

Several nights ago Mrs. Lewis went to bed thinking and worrying about the missing money and papers, and when she fell asleep she had a dream in which she saw her husband burying a rusty old tin box in a secluded spot back of the house. So strongly did the dream impress her that after she awoke the next morning Mrs. Lewis took a spade and, going to the spot where in her dream she had seen her husband burying the box, she dug down in the ground two or three feet and found the money.

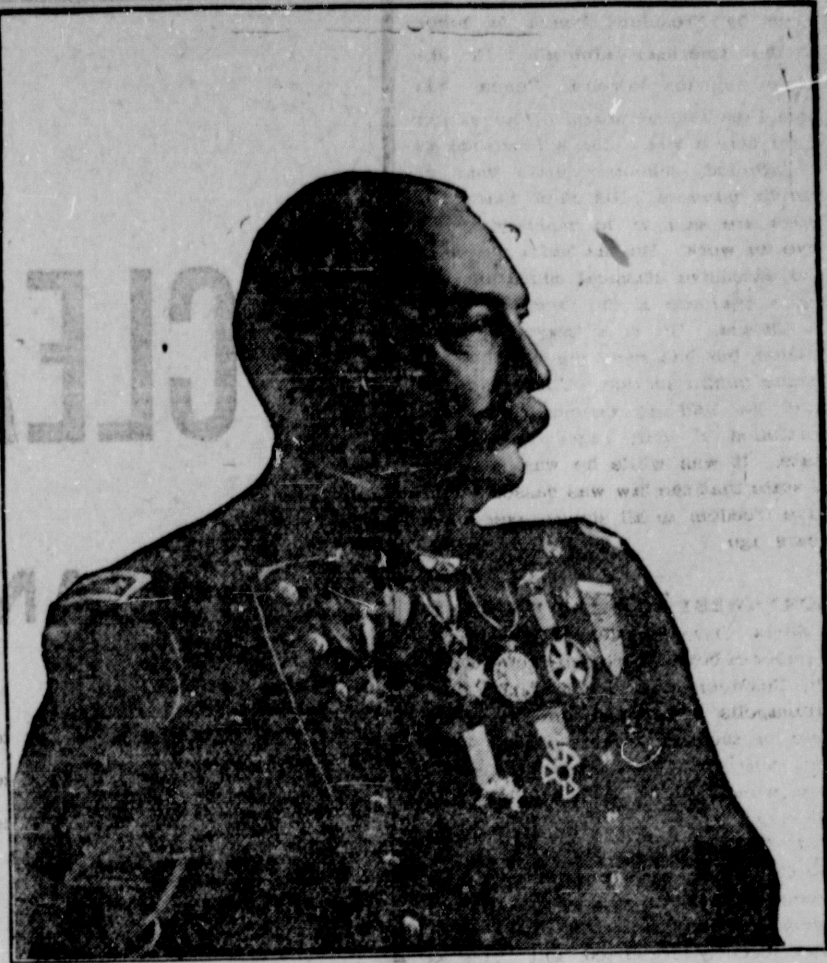
PIANIST AN ARMY PRIVATE.

Goes to Germany to Study and is Pressed into Service.

Omaha, Neb.—Joseph Gahn, formerly of Omaha, who was for years one of the best-known pianists in the west and a popular favorite on the concert stage throughout the country, is now a private in the German army. Gahn closed his studio in Omaha and with his wife went to Berlin a year ago to continue his musical studies and eventually to open a studio there.

An Omaha friend has just received a letter from him in which he says that immediately after his arrival in Berlin the authorities discovered that he had not served in the German army before he went to the United States a number of years ago and that he had not taken out citizenship papers in this country. He was promptly pressed into the kaiser's army.

Major General Wade.



Prominent army officer recently placed on the retired list having reached the age limit of 64 years. Gen. Wade served 46 years in the army and saw service in the civil war, in Cuba and in the Philippines.

DESERTER IS DATTO.

FORMER FACTORY HAND BECOMES FILIPINO LEADER.

One Private Dodd as Candidate for Noose as Soon as Caught—Weds Chieftain's Daughter and Lives in Luxury.

Washington.—Advices from the Philippines tell of the governmental difficulties because of one Datto Dodds, erstwhile Private Dodds, who was for some ten minutes a member of the Nineteenth United States Infantry. Until Dodds is dead or pacified they say there will be no peace in the Malay part of the islands.

Once they were bending all their efforts toward catching and hanging Private Dodds. Just now they are patiently trying to negotiate with him, or so the story runs. Dodds was, ordinary enough, appearing army material when a serpent tongued recruiting sergeant enlisted him at Boston some years ago. Shock headed, dull eyed, bull necked, deep chested, shambling in his gait, Dodds attracted no attention on the transport beyond the small notoriety of eating more and drinking more awkwardly than the rest.

But when he and his fellow rookies landed at Manila the Massachusetts factory hand kept right on marching from the end of the gang plank, through Manila and out toward the violet green mountains, where lurked the restless insurgents.

A searching party found him and took him back. It was not believed he intended to desert, so he was not punished, but was sent with 88 other recruits to join a battalion of the Nineteenth infantry, then stationed in Cebu. Dodds glanced into his tent and kept on going. Another searching party looked in vain for him, and it was supposed he had been killed by natives. A little later there was a night attack by natives and the voice of Dodds was heard urging the enemy to their work. Time and again this occurred and Dodds always managed to get away.

Why Dodds joined the insurgents has never been explained. He may have been inoculated before enlistment with the anti-imperialistic virus of Edward Atkinson and other Boston friends of Aguinaldo, or it may have

been some heritage of Norse pirate blood that blossomed in his brain under the oriental sun. The deeper mystery is how the untutored factory hand mastered a barbaric people and a more barbaric language in so short a time. The soldiers of the Nineteenth rejoiced when peace fell in Cebu, and the insurgents agreed as one to their terms, to surrender the white renegades and deserters among them. At last the outraged infantrymen would get their hands on Dodds, and a halter, too, but he was not among the renegades surrendered.

While the exact movements of Dodds from this point are a mystery, he is supposed to have fled by banca or ketcha to Mindanao or Sulu. Subsequently he turned up in the household of Datto Tantung, on Tawitawi island, where he was said to have married a daughter of that potentate and to have been initiated by him, and to have been raised to the rank of postmaster among the dattos.

At any rate Dodds wore the silk drawers, silver embroidered vests and arsenal sash of the Malays, did a little cautious pirating with the adopted nation, perhaps, and was satisfied to be separated from civilization and the cocktail, which, as George Ade says, follows the flag. Dodds had the making of a good Utah Mormon of the last generation, it seems, because in all his wanderings the native institution which he adopted first was the harem.

And everywhere he was the most unreconstructed of all the rebels against his mother country. In time the deserter came to acquire something like belligerent rights and privilege of treating with American authorities like other dattos.

But the army has never lost its desire to catch Datto Dodds in a fight where the fierceness of the onslaught will make it convenient to overlook giving quarter. And Datto Dodds reciprocates by stirring up the Malays whenever expeditions and treaties have calmed them down to something like peace.

Meanwhile this hairy oaf of a New England factory town, silken clad, barbarously hung with pearls and weapons, reigns like a king or a feudal lord in an Arabian night's setting, with the soft southern seas murmuring about his island and a host of fierce-eyed, brown-faced subjects bowing at his big feet.

FORTUNE IN DAGUERRETYPE.

Old Picture Enables Woman to Establish Identity.

St. Joseph, Mo.—Frederick Bush came to this city from Pomerania, Germany, in 1848 and laid the foundation for a fortune and also for its recovery by his niece under most peculiar circumstances. When he left Germany he was accompanied by his brother, Andrew Bush.

The brothers separated in Illinois and Andrew went to Iowa, where he married and reared one daughter. Andrew Bush died there and his daughter married and removed to Pocatello, Idaho. Frederick Bush came to this city and built up a fortune. Eleven years ago he died, leaving no heirs, so far as was known here. He had lived the life of a recluse in rooms over E. W. Dienger's saloon on Messanie street and Dienger was his only friend. Dienger took charge of the estate and has held it for a claimant.

Before the brothers separated in Illinois they exchanged pictures and Mrs. Frances Edwards, daughter of Andrew Bush, had in her possession the old daguerreotype of her uncle. A month ago she went to a fortune teller in Pocatello, who told her that a fortune awaited her in Missouri. Mrs. Edwards began at once the

work of trying to find some trace of her uncle. With only the old picture of her uncle as evidence she came here a short time ago. She also learned that Dienger had in his possession an old picture left by Bush and said to be that of his brother, Andrew Bush.

Mrs. Edwards proved her claim to the satisfaction of Probate Judge Imel and an order of court has been made turning the estate over to her. It consists of considerable real estate in this city and \$10,000 in cash.

Germany Eats Less Meat.

Washington.—Consul General Richard Guenther, of Frankfurt, reports that the following statistics on Germany's meat consumption in 1906 show a reduction as compared with that of 1905. Besides the actual reduced amount it must be borne in mind that the population of Germany in 1906 had increased by about 900,000 persons over that of the year before. The following figures of meat consumption are in metric tons of 2,204 pounds each:

For 1905—Beef, 952,054; veal, 175,684; pork, 1,111,110; mutton, 53,781; goat meat, 6,495.
For 1906—Beef, 941,593; veal, 168,327; pork, 1,092,184; mutton, 50,763; goat meat, 6,696.

FOOTBALL'S ASSASSINS FIND ANOTHER ARGUMENT

Critics Claim That No College Men Play Game After School Days Because It Is Too Rough.

One of the most powerful arguments brought against football as a college sport by its opponents is that by its very nature it prevents men from keeping it up after leaving college. It is also alleged that very little real fun is got out of the game by those who play it, and that its participants go in for it vastly more on account of the glory and publicity attached to it than for the sport itself.

A suggestion coming from C. G. Osborne, right tackle on last year's Harvard team, in the form of a letter to the Harvard Crimson, may do much to abolish these evils of the game in so far as Harvard is concerned, provided the suggestion is carried out. Osborne was a player who enjoyed the game himself every minute he was playing. He played football purely for the fun he got out of it, and he is reluctant to abandon the game now that he is no longer in college. For the last few weeks he has been at Harvard coaching and playing regularly on the scrub team. Osborne's idea is for the Harvard graduates to form a football team for a few weeks every fall, play a few practice games and end up with a game against the Harvard varsity somewhere near the middle of the season.

There is much to be said for the plan. Every year a number of graduates come back to Cambridge to coach the team and sometimes play on the second team. If these men were to be brought back at the same time a very strong team would be organized from among them. And there is enough football talent around Boston to make it easy to organize a very strong eleven. The plan seems to be a good one from all its aspects. The grades would be enabled to keep up their football for a few weeks every fall, they would be brought into close touch with the varsity team each year, and the varsity itself would be enabled to profit by playing regularly against the strongest possible kind of scrub team.

Osborne's suggestion was limited to Harvard, but if the plan proved to be a success there it might be followed by other colleges. In the future the regular Harvard-Yale football game might be the occasion of a contest on the preceding day of teams composed of graduates of the two institutions. Such a contest regularly takes place at New London, where a race for "gentlemen's eight" has come to be a regular part of the program.

THE PRIDE OF ENGLAND



"Gunner" Moir, the English champion, who fought Tommy Burns for the international title on December 2, Moir is considered the Jeffries of the British Isles.

Would Limit Salary List.

One of the proposals which it is expected will be made at the coming meeting of the National League of Baseball Clubs in New York will be to limit the number of players that any one club may retain on its salary list. It is said that George B. Dovey of the Boston club will propose the adoption of a resolution forbidding the reservation of more than 18 players and providing that not more than five men may be added during a playing season. Dovey declares that the salvation of the big leagues depends on the reduction of expenses, and that in order to retain public interest the teams must be more evenly matched.

New World's Shooting Mark.

A world's record for trap shooting was made by the Winchester squad, which broke 496 targets out of a possible 500 in a recent contest at Leesburg, Fla. Recently at Columbia, S. C., the squad put the mark up from 491 to 493. The squad which shot from the 16-yard mark recently scored as follows: Crosby, 100; Taylor, 100; Barkley, 99; Hawkins, 99; Gilbert, 98. These men started shooting at the Jamestown exposition and since have been touring the south.

HORSE RACING IS A COSTLY SPORT

MORE THAN \$4,000,000 DISTRIBUTED BY TURF ASSOCIATIONS DURING THE PAST SEASON.

KEENE IS GREATEST WINNER

Colin, Undeclared, the Greatest Two-Year-Old Seen in Many Years—Ballot and Peter Pan Made Good—Trainer Rowe and Jockey Miller in "Millionaire" Class.

With the drop of the curtain at Aqueduct the other day racing came to a close in New York state for the year. That it has been a successful season has been proven by the vast throngs that have attended the different courses daily. Last year the racing association divided the sum of \$4,000,000, and it would not be taking too liberal a view of the past season to say that this amount will be surpassed.

Three figures stand out prominently as leading features of the year—James R. Keene, Walter Miller and James Rowe. This trio are known throughout the racing world as the owner, jockey and trainer of the best lot of thoroughbreds seen on this side of the Atlantic in many years. James R. Keene has achieved the enviable record of winning over \$400,000 in purses within a year. This feat is more than remarkable when it is known that the figures of \$376,000, won by the duke of Portland in 1889, have never been eclipsed until this year.

In addition to standing at the top of the list of winners, Mr. Keene is favored by owning Colin, the greatest two-year-old seen in many years. When Sysonby was in his prime racing experts said that he was the best that could be produced, but after Colin appeared on the scene and demonstrated his ability they are forced to acknowledge that he is the superior of the late equine wonder. Colin has started 12 times and won every race. His winnings amounted to \$133,277.

Ballot and Peter Pan are two more Keene thoroughbreds that are entitled to honorable mention. Peter Pan was heralded as the three-year-old champion of the season in the early stages of the game, but he fell ill right before the Saratoga meeting and was retired to the Castleton stud. Ballot was a worthy successor to his stable companion. He has been defeated several times, but taking a line through his many races he stands at the top. Salvadore beat Ballot in the Annual Champion and the Brighton cup, two races at two miles and a quarter, but in all their other contests Ballot proved the better.

James Rowe is in a class by himself as a trainer. This is not in disparagement of the many other good trainers, but the unprecedented success of the Keene horses entitles him to the highest place. He will earn the highest salary of any member of his calling. The percentage of the winnings of Keene, with his salary of \$12,000 per annum, will bring him over the \$50,000 mark.

Walter Miller once more heads the list of the riding brigade. He has had 851 mounts and has piloted 225 to victory and finished in the money 277 times. His nearest rival is Eddie Dugan, who has ridden 682 horses, won 137 races and been in the money 208 times. Miller's earning capacity is up to the \$50,000 mark, and his superiority as a rider has never been questioned.

The fact that Miller is perhaps fast putting on weight is a blow to the game. The lack of good riders, due to the ridiculous scale of weights, is a big setback to the sport. At the present time Miller tips the scales at 105 pounds. Before the opening of next season it is hardly probable that he will be able to weigh in under 107 pounds. The probable result will be that Miller, like Shaw, O'Connor and many other good riders will have to travel to Europe, as at his increased weight he will not be in much demand.

This will leave a clear field for Dugan. While not as finished a jockey as Miller, in a sprint, many concede that he is the peer of his rival over a distance of ground. Guy Burns, the latest development of "Bill" Daly, is rapidly approaching the leaders, and if he receives enough mounts that have possible chances he may be the surprise of next year.

Donlin Signs with Giants.

Mike Donlin has officially signed with the Giants, and the first step in the reconstruction of a once great ball club has been taken. Donlin, back in form and bat in hand, is a demon fire when it comes to moving down the pitchers. He had a great deal to do with the Giants' success in former years, and his absence from the campaigns of 1906 and 1907 hurt McGraw's chances terribly. A good, natural batsman is beyond all price when it comes to winning games, and Donlin ranks as one of the very best. Since the fall of Keeler it is probable that Mike is absolutely the best left-handed hitter in the business. He is not afraid of southpaws, and can kill a right-hander, while his aggressiveness and ginger help a team almost as much as his hitting. Donlin and Seymour will be the batting front of New York's attack next season. Mike may play first, leaving the outfield free for some new star or for a further trial of the present incumbents, or he may return to the garden, displacing Browne.

A Happy New Year to all...

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BRYAN, TEXAS, JANUARY 11, 1908.

There is only the difference of a letter between daft and Taft.

Keep on sowing the wind and the harvest will be a cyclone or a blizzard.

In some Texas towns, turnips sell for more than oranges. They are worth anything.

Webb county farmers are figuring on a \$1,000,000 onion crop this year. What are Brazos county farmers figuring on for diversification?

Now, that the battleship Texas is out of commission, Congressman Gregg wants another big fighting machine to bear the name of the largest State in the union.

The National Democratic Committee throws wide open the doors of the Democratic fold to the good old song:

"And while the lamp holds out to him, the first winner may return!"

It is worse cheated than we thought we were when Spain bunched up the Philippines for \$20,000,000 for the Philippine Islands. Instead of 12,000 there are 75,000 of the islands, and we have to keep them all until we can unload on some other sucker.

The following good story is going the rounds: "An editor in Kansas, who never thought punctuation amounted to much, is now defendant in a libel suit because he published an item about two young men who went with their girls to attend the teachers' institute, and after they left, the girls got drunk. The comma should have gone after the 'girls,' but as it is, the girls have gone after the editor."

The Divorce, organ of the United Confederate Veterans, commenting on the proposition to have the national government pension the surviving Confederate soldiers, says: "We consider it the duty of the respective states formerly composing the Confederacy to care for the worthy and needy Confederate soldiers out of their State treasury, as many of them are doing with great liberality."

With pensions limited strictly to those who are "worthy and needy" they would not be a heavy burden to any state.

OUR JACKIES IN RIO JANIERO.

Washington, Jan. 10.—According to schedule, the fleet of American battleships under Rear-Admiral Evans will reach Rio Janiero tonight or tomorrow, thus completing the second lap in the long trip to the Pacific coast. Recent dispatches from the Brazilian metropolis have told of the elaborate preparations being made there for the entertainments of the American officers and bluejackets.

Rio Janiero is by far the largest and most important city that will be visited by the fleet on its long trip. It now has a population of nearly a million, and ranks the fifth city of the Western hemisphere. The fleet will cast anchor in the harbor that has been pronounced by experienced travelers to be the largest and most beautiful in the world. During the past few years the Brazilian government has expended millions of dollars in the construction of docks, basins, piers and other improvements that are capable of accommodating the steamships and sailing craft of the world.

Rio Janiero is now in the full tropical glory of summer time. The city is situated just about as far south of the equatorial line as Havana is north of it. Between 75 and 85 degs. F., is the average summer weather. It is seldom so high as the latter figure, however, more than three days in succession, followed by sultry nights, and then comes a heavy rain which continues twenty-four hours or more, leaving the air fresh and pleasant for several days.

The dispatches from Rio Janiero state that forty rooms in the best hotel at Petropolis have been reserved for the use of the American visitors. Petropolis is the fashionable suburb of Rio Janiero. It is located about thirty miles distant from the capitol, and is 3,000 feet higher, easily accessible by rail. In a recent article, John Barrett, one of the best informed men in the United States on all that relates to South America, paid the following tribute to Petropolis:

"Here the diplomatic corps have their homes and offices and enjoy life as if they were spending the summer at Newport or Lenox. Its capacious palaces, handsome residences, public buildings, pretty gardens, pleasing drives, restful paths, and silvery streams, all gracefully and contentedly situated amid exquisitely verdured hills and mountains, make it a spot to be happily remembered by those who have lived there or visited its unique locality and environment."

The crowning feature of the official entertainment is to be a dinner given by President Penna in honor of the American admirals. Dr. Alfonso Augusto Moreira Penna has been President of Brazil for something more than a year. He is described as a dignified, scholarly little man of simple manners. His chief characteristics are said to be modesty and a love for work. He has had a thorough and extensive classical education, being a graduate of the famous college at Caraca. He is a lawyer by profession, but has spent much of his life in the public service. Under the empire, he held at various times the portfolios of war, agriculture and state. It was while he was minister of state that the law was passed which gave freedom to all slaves, over sixty years ago.

NORTHWEST BOWLING TOURNEY.

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 10.—A large number of bowlers are here from Omaha, Des Moines, St. Paul, Sioux Falls, Minneapolis and other points to compete in the tournament of the Iowa and Northwestern Bowling Association, which opened today and will continue one week. The events are five and two-men contest, and are for the Northwest championship. Prizes that amount to \$1,500 will be distributed among the winners. The association was recently organized and this is its first tournament.

MILLION ACRES SCHOOL LANDS.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 10.—Land Commissioner Terrell has just issued the list of school lands now on sale in this state. It embraces millions of acres, scattered over the state, though some of the best are in this section. The land is sold on condition that the buyer will settle on it and live continuously one year from date; at the end of 120 days he must make affidavit to this fact. The land can be bought on 40 years time, at 5 per cent interest. This land is owned by the public school system of Texas, and is part of the splendid endowment reserved by Texas when she entered the union, for the cause of public education. This wise provision has given Texas an extensive and complete system of public schools without creating a burden of taxation to maintain it. Indeed, some of the counties in this state receive more from the state for public schools than they pay to the state, both in school and other taxes.

ARBOR DAY IN LOUISIANA.

Baton Rouge, La., Jan. 10.—The third annual observance of Arbor Day in Louisiana took place today. The day was set aside by the public schools throughout the state for the holding of exercises appropriate to the occasion and the planting of trees and shrubs in school yards and other public grounds.

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All \$15.00 Overcoats Cut to	\$10.50
All \$12.50 Overcoats Cut to	\$ 8.95
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All \$6.00 Men's Pants Cut to	\$4.50
All \$5.00 Men's Pants Cut to	\$3.75
All \$4.00 Men's Pants Cut to	\$2.95
All \$3.50 Men's Pants Cut to	\$2.50

Men's Underwear

All \$1.00 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	75c
All \$2.00 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$1.50
All \$2.50 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$1.85
All \$3.00 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$2.25
All \$3.50 Suits Cut to (Per Suit)	\$2.50

Men's Shoes

27 Pairs of Odd Lots "Edwin Clapp" Patent Vici \$7.00 Shoes—Cut to	\$4.50
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Ladies' Coats

All \$10.00 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$6.50
All \$12.50 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$8.50
All \$15.00 Ladies' Coats Cut to	\$9.75
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PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES. H. & T. C. Schedule.

No. 3 North Bound..... 1:38 p. m.
No. 5 North Bound..... 12:46 a. m.
No. 2 South Bound..... 3:40 p. m.
No. 6 South Bound..... 2:48 a. m.

I. & G. N. Schedule.

No. 102 North Bound.... 10:50 a. m.
No. 101 South Bound.... 4:55 p. m.

A. J. Searcy went to Navasota yesterday.

B. L. Reed of Mudville was in the city yesterday.

R. R. Shaw left yesterday for Sulphur Springs.

Hans Hanson at Opera House, Monday, Jan. 13.

T. M. Ewing was in from the Brazos bottom yesterday.

A. W. Roydor of Wellborn was in the city yesterday.

Rev. Jno. R. Dunn of Calvert was in the city yesterday.

J. T. Swanson of Navasota was in the city yesterday.

E. M. Vinstead of Houston was in the city yesterday.

W. E. Gandy of Rock Prairie was in the city yesterday.

Reserved Seat Sale at Cavitts for Hans Hanson, Jan. 13.

Hans Hanson is a beautifully told story. Opera House Jan. 13.

Prof. and Mrs. T. P. Junkin of College were in the city yesterday.

Miss Ethel Orr of Edge left yesterday to teach at Coleman City.

Mrs. Harry Hudson of Caldwell is the guests of Mrs. Frank Myers.

Patronize Hunter & Chatham's Cleaning and pressing Shop, Phone 266.

Beall Chapman returned to Brenond yesterday after a visit in this city.

Patronize Hunter & Chatham's Cleaning and pressing Shop, Phone 266.

For Rent—Cottage on Moseley St. near courthouse. Apply to Mrs. R. H. Smith.

Marriage license has been issued to Antonio Ponzio and Antonina Carciola.

Dr. G. W. Keeling, of Mexia, who is visiting at Tabor, was in the city yesterday.

For Rent—House, close in. Possession after Jan. 9th. Apply to Mrs. W. E. Harris.

Rev. Kasiske, William Manthel and Fritz Manthel of Kurten were in the city yesterday.

C. W. Lemm, traveling representative of the Waters-Pierce Oil Co., was here yesterday.

LADIES—I make a specialty of cleaning and pressing skirts. Phone 389—E. L. Beard.

For Rent—House across street from Tyler Haswell's, \$8.00 per month. Apply to W. C. Wilcox.

D. L. Dowling and R. G. Dowling of the College community called on the Eagle while in the city yesterday.

The orchestra carried by the Hans Hanson Co., is complete and perfectly instrumented. At Opera House Monday, Jan. 13.

Mrs. Stella Cole and Misses Mary Yardley and Nuda Hurt of Franklin are the guests of Mrs. Kate Wilcox.

When you want your clothes cleaned and pressed, ring 'phone 389, and I will send for them.—Udon Tallor Stop, E. L. Beard, Prop.

J. R. Eden of Harvey was in the city yesterday, accompanying Miss Lena Eden, his daughter, who left to visit at Hopkins, Texas.

'Phone 266 if you have any clothing to be cleaned or pressed, and Hunter & Chatham will send for them and deliver them to you. All work guaranteed and strictly cash.

Mrs. A. T. Towler and son returned to Benchley yesterday after a visit of a few days in the Wixon community. Mr. Towler and family have lately moved from Sutton to Benchley.

Major L. L. McInnis attended a committee meeting of the A. & M. Board of Directors at College yesterday evening. Judge T. D. Rowell, another member of the board, was present from Jefferson.

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BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.

Bible school 9:45 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Jr. B. Y. P. U. Rally, 3 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Public worship at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Lee of Dallas will speak. The public cordially invited to attend. GEO. B. BUTLER, Pastor.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

State Field Secretary R. E. Lee will arrive this afternoon and will be present at the meetings tomorrow, beginning with the Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, which he will address. A meeting of the Senior B. Y. P. U. is called for 4 o'clock, at which Mr. Lee will talk to the officers and committees. The program for the regular service at 6:30 is as follows:

Devotional exercises—Mr. C. E. Bullock.

"Be Dependable"—Mr. F. M. Law.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. W. C. Davis.

"Attaining Our Objects"—Mr. E. E. Lee.

All are cordially invited to attend.

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FIELD TRIAL WINNER.

Seth Mooring's Pointer, "Tony" Said To be Star Derby Entry This Season in United States.

Seth Mooring, Sheriff R. M. Nall and H. G. Rhodes have returned from the Lone Star Field Trial Club's annual meet at Karnes City, and the Eagle is pleased to announce that Mr. Mooring's 18-month-old pointer, "Tony Mooring," won the Derby stake of \$300.00 easily in competition with nine of the best dogs gathered from all parts of the United States and is said by experts to be the star Derby stake entry of the season in the entire country. "Tony" also won a beautiful silver trophy cup in the same entry, and with "Rays," Sheriff Nall's dog won second money in the brace trial.

"Tony" was handled by his trainer, Lockhart, and has since been taken to the Grand Junction field trials in Tennessee, where the winners of all field trials will be present for the last contest of the season. "Tony" was raised in Bryan and is said to be the only Texas dog which has ever made good on the Eastern circuit. The dog has run all through the East and in Canada.

WILL GUARANTEE FLOWING WELL.

McMahan & Bigelow, Drillers, Say They Can Secure a Flowing Well in Bryan.

Mr. J. W. McMahan was here from Navasota yesterday, and called at the Eagle office. He has been figuring on a deep well for Bryan and says his firm will guarantee to secure a flowing well for a consideration of twelve to fifteen thousand dollars.

Such a well would doubtless solve the much discussed problem of a more adequate water supply for street sprinkling, etc., and while conditions are now such that there might be some difficulty in raising the money, it would be well to think about it, and if anything can be done, let the wheels begin to move with reference to this or some other proposition.

FIRE ALARM.

A spark ignited the shingles on Jno. B. Mike's kitchen yesterday morning, but the flames were extinguished with slight damage.

Early last night while the wind was blowing fiercely, a brick flue blew off the roof of the Texas Woman's College, threatening a serious fire, but fortunately this was averted. Dr. Charlton got a lick on the forehead with the end of a hose, inflicting a slight but painful cut.

Another flue blew off at the residence of Mrs. Geo. W. Smith, and another alarm was turned in under similar circumstances, the damage being slight.

The wind raged furiously and the several alarms made everybody unusually apprehensive.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The usual services will be held Sunday at the Methodist church. At 11 o'clock, Rev. J. B. Turrentine will preach on "The Financial Panic and the Lesson It Brings." At the night service, the subject will be "The Three Wise Men and the Other Wise Man." The pastor invites the public generally, and especially strangers in the city, to attend these services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

All the services at the usual hours. The Rally Day service will be continued from last Sunday at 11 a. m. with talks by those heretofore named on the program, and Rev. Challenor will preach on the subject of "Enlargement." The subject at night will be, "Two Great Commandments."

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Sunday school meets promptly at 9:45, and we want every pupil present. There will be one or two good talks and special music, in addition to the regular program. The public is cordially invited. JNO. A. MOORE, Superintendent.

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Putting It Mildly.

The flooding of a Yorkshire mine had a tragic result, and a miner was deputed to break the news to a poor woman whose husband had been drowned.

"Does Widow Jones live here?" "No," was the indignant lady's reply. "You're a liar!" he said.—London Tatler.

Never tell your resolution before hand.—Selden.

TRAGIC LOVE AFFAIR.

John Hopkins Cuts Lady's Throat and Does Himself Likewise.

Muskogee, Jan. 10.—At Peonia, in a remote part of Ottawa county, John Hopkins, a railroad brakeman, killed Miss Craig, a schoolteacher, by cutting her throat. He then did himself likewise. He may die. Hopkins was madly in love with Miss Craig and the presumption is she refused to marry him. They were out driving when the affair occurred.

Hopkins, who is thirty-five years old, first shot Miss Craig three times and then cut her throat. He will recover. An effort was made to take him out of jail and lynch him. Miss Craig taught the school at Modoc agency, five miles from Seneca. Her parents reside at latter place.

UNUSUAL NUPTIALS.

Delaware Doctor United in Marriage With Mother-in-Law.

New York, Jan. 10.—Dr. Horace Newell Marvin of Dover, Del., father of the boy who wandered from a farm house near Dover last spring and died from exposure, causing the report that he had been kidnapped, was married in this city to Mrs. Flora Melinda Swift, his mother-in-law. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Houghton at the Little Church Around the Corner. Dr. Marvin is sixty-two years old and his wife sixty years of age. This is groom's third marriage.

HIPPOTAMUS DIES.

"Caliph," Largest Animal of His Kind in America, a Corpse.

New York, Jan. 10.—"Caliph," the great hippopotamus, which for twenty-two years was in the Central park zoo, is dead. "Caliph" was about thirty-four years old and the largest animal of his breed in America, weighing something like four tons.

Curtailment to Stop.

Birmingham, Jan. 10.—Announcement is made here that the surplus pig iron which accumulated since October, because of the collapse of the iron market, has been reduced in the past few weeks from 90,000 tons to less than 55,000 tons and curtailed production will shortly be called off. One furnace in the Birmingham district has started up since Monday.

Long Distance Wedding.

Winchester, Ky., Jan. 10.—Edward Buch, at Hampton, Va., and Miss Eva Downing Herre in Winchester, were married by long distance telephone. Rev. E. H. Stewart officiated from this end of the line.

When a quarrel is the breakfast food look out for marital indigestion.—Manchester Union.

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DESPERATE JAIL BREAK.

Prisoner at Sherman Attacks Bastille Custodian.

HATFIELD IS HIT IN HEAD

Party From Fort Worth and Three of the Other Inmates Escape, All but One, Including Ringleader, Who Shot Twice at Sheriff, Recaptured.

Sherman, Tex., Jan. 10.—One of the most desperate jailbreaks in the history of Texas occurred here at 8 o'clock this morning.

When Jailer Hatfield went to feed the prisoners Ed Gash, who was brought here from Fort Worth on a robbery charge after having been given fifteen years in Tarrant county for highway robbery, grabbed the jailer's pistol and knocked him in the head with it. The officer was then forced into a cell and locked up and Gash and three others escaped. Henry Cato, one of the prisoners, was in jail on the charge of murdering Alvin Frizzell, the young man whose dead body was found in Pilot Grove creek, in Collin county, and who had been remanded to jail without bail. Harry Fairless and Bob Trammell, both under sentence for horse theft, were the other two.

A posse headed by Sheriff Rich was immediately organized and in three hours Gash, Fairless and Trammell were taken. Sheriff Rich took Gash and Trammell, the former shooting at him twice, but missing his mark. The prisoners were captured in the vicinity of Cotton Tail mountain, two miles south of Sherman.

Jailer Hatfield was not seriously wounded, but was knocked senseless for the time being. It developed that the break was well planned, for all the prisoners left the jail bareheaded and without coats, but when captured were wearing both, and Trammell stated that the clothing was taken from the jail in a bundle.

BRAGGART BAGGED.

Dangerous Negro Taken After a Sensational Scene.

Longview, Tex., Jan. 10.—A sensational arrest was made of a dangerous negro criminal named John Spriggs, alias Tom Headlight, by Sheriff Little and a posse at Easton, a blind siding twelve miles south of here on the Santa Fe. The negro was wanted here for gambling and also wanted in Hardin county for murder alleged to have been committed five years ago. He had repeatedly evaded the officers and made his brag that his big gun and dirk would liberate him. The officers surrounded a car that held thirty-five negro tie-handlers, but were refused admittance until threatened by the sheriff. The officers searched the car three times before the negro was found crouched in a corner under a very low bunk. The negroes were greatly excited, but were held quiet by the posse and Spriggs handcuffed and brought here, and lodged in jail. He offered the sheriff a considerable sum to release him and is very restless. The sheriff at Kountze, Hardin county, who had seen in communication with officers here some time, was notified to come and take him to face the charge of murder. Spriggs broke jail in Kountze about four years ago. He is a powerful, light brown negro, six feet high and weighs nearly 200 pounds.

HENRY COLEMAN ARRESTED.

Charged With Murder of a Man at Birmingham, Ala., in 1901.

Dallas, Jan. 10.—On complaint, charging Henry Coleman with a being a fugitive from justice, the latter was arrested by Sheriff Ledbetter and placed in jail. Coleman, who is a carpenter, and some years a resident of Dallas, is accused of having in 1901, at Birmingham, Ala., taken the life of James Curdrey. Sheriff Higdon of Jefferson county, Alabama, of which Birmingham is the county seat, asked that the Dallas county sheriff make the arrest. Requisition papers from Governor Campbell are in route to Austin. Coleman has been an industrious citizen and has erected a nice residence here.

ATTEMPT TO BRIBE.

Fort Worth Chief of Police Makes a Startling Statement.

Fort Worth, Jan. 10.—Chief of Police Maddox asked the grand jury to investigate an alleged conspiracy which he declares has been plotted to disgrace and drive him from office. The chief declares an attempt has been made to bribe him in return for protection. He charges two parties with offering him money several times. One of them, a woman, says she is a palmist. She and her husband are now under arrest. Chief Maddox insists the couple are but tools used by more powerful persons to blotch his character and says they will be hunted down and arrested.

Fatal Accidental Discharge.

Palestine, Tex., Jan. 10.—While hunting with a companion, the son of G. A. Baty, a local negro clergyman, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun. The boys were going through a barb wire fence at the time.

To Fight Greenbug.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Representative Randall of Texas arranging joint meeting of the Oklahoma and Texas congressional delegations to agree on legislation for warfare on greenbug in wheat.

VARDAMAN'S FAREWELL.

Retiring Governor Makes Numerous Suggestions.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 10.—Governor Vardaman sent his farewell message to the Mississippi legislature. It was the longest document ever sent to a law-making body in this state, consisting of nearly 20,000 words. Governor, after a careful review of the state's financial condition, recommends liberal appropriations for the state educational and eleemosynary institutions; state assistance in establishing a system of rural high schools; normal and training school for teachers; a memorial to congress either for the repeal of the fifteenth amendment or the calling of a national convention for the division of school funds between races, and industrial education only



GOVERNOR J. E. VARDAMAN OF MISSISSIPPI.

for the negro; child labor laws; industrial school for delinquent boys and girls; adoption of statutory and constitutional prohibition; governor and attorney general should be members of railroad commission and enlargement of powers of that body; enlargement of powers of attorney general; constitutional amendment providing for elective judiciary; statute making attempt at criminal assault punishable by death; summary removal of public officials guilty of drunkenness in office; sale of old capitol grounds; more liberal treatment of the state national guard; abolition of county convict leasing system; liberal appropriation for indigent ex-Confederates; creation of office of state oculist; separate sleeping and dining cars for races; reduction of legal rate of interest to 8 per cent; endorsement of state board of health plan for suppression of tuberculosis.

After two pages of the message had been read in the senate a motion prevailed that the document be printed and a copy placed on the desk of the senator. Resolutions were presented in the senate memorializing congress to enact legislation prohibiting speculation in cotton futures.

A resolution was passed inviting Hon. W. J. Bryan to address the senate.

UNEMPLOYED NUMEROUS.

Vast Multitude of People Are Out of Work at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—A careful canvass of the labor situation by a local paper shows there are in this city 138,950 idle working people. There is normally 50,000 men out of work at this season of the year, namely: those whose employment has ceased in winter time. So the number of the men idle as the result of the business depression is 88,950. Associated Building Trades, with thirty-seven affiliated unions, show 18,000 out of work, against an absolute scarcity of men one year ago. Teamsters are next highest. They number 15,000 idle men.

CHASES "VILLIAN AWAY."

Acting So Realistic That Auditor Goes to the Heroine's Rescue.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 10.—Furious over the treatment accorded by the villain to the heroine in a play at a local theater, George Munroe jumped on the stage, seized the heroine in his arms and declared he would defend her. Stage hands attempted to drive Munroe from the stage, but he seized a fire ax and refused to leave until he was overpowered by six policemen.

Terrorists Resume Operations.

Warsaw, Jan. 10.—The terrorists of this city, who have been quiet for some time past, have resumed operations. An attack was made on a post car station at Sokotow, on the Vistula railroad. A bomb was thrown at the car, killing two and wounding ten soldiers and a railroad employee. After looting the safes, the terrorists escaped with a large amount of money.

Three Killed, Twelve Injured.

Mobile, Jan. 10.—A report from Vinegar Bend, Ala., forty-one miles from here, states a rearend collision occurred on the Alabama and Mississippi railroad, ten miles from that place, at an early hour Friday morning, killing three persons and injuring twelve others. A number of cars were badly damaged.

Jumps to Eternity.

Lawrence, Kan., Jan. 10.—Urban Angyn, last year captain of the football team of Kansas university, suicided by jumping from the dome of Frazer hall, on the university grounds.

Leaped In Front of Train.

New York, Jan. 10.—W. B. Nevlin, a former stock exchange member, leaped in front of a subway train at Broad and Seventy-ninth streets. His wife said he had suffered heavy financial losses during the past five months.

At Pernambuco.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Torpedoboot destroyers flotilla of Pacific fleet has arrived at Pernambuco, Brazil.

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